GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services - State Judicial Services - Recommendations of 2nd National Judicial Pay Commission and orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated: 27.3.2018 - Sanction of 30% Interim relief to all Judicial Officers, Pensioners and family pensioners w.e.f. 01-01-2016 - orders - Issued

LAW (LA&J- SC.F) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 51 Dated: 13-06-2018.

Read the following:-

1. Orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Civil) No. 643 of 2015;dated 27-03-2018.
2. From the Registrar (Admn.), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad Roc.No. 666/2018-B1; dated 20-04-2018.
3. Lr.No.GAD01-35/07/2018-SC-F-GAD01, Dt. 11.06.2018.
4. Lr.Roc.No. 666/2018-B1, Dt. 14.05.2018 from the Registrar (Protocol) I/c . Registrar (Admin), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad.

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O R D E R:

In the letter 2nd read above, the Registrar (Administration), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad informed that in pursuance of directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court, in W.P. (Civil) No. 643 of 2015; dated 09.05.2017, the Second National Judicial Pay Commission was appointed to examine and make suitable recommendations relating to the pay structure and emoluments of Judicial Officers in the States and Union Territories, including pension and other post-retirement benefits and also to examine the work methods and work environment with a view to promoting efficiency in judicial administration.

2. The Registrar (Administration), has further stated that the said Judicial Pay Commission had submitted its interim report to the Hon'ble Supreme Court on 9th March, 2018, on Interim Relief (Pay) to the Judicial Officers in the State as follows:

1. Interim relief to the extent of 30% of increase in Basic Pay with accrued increments shall be paid to all categories/ranks of Judicial Officers;

2. The said increase in pay shall be treated as a separate component and no D A. is payable thereon.

3. Arrears shall be worked out with effect from 01-01-2016 on the above basis.

4. On the same basis, the interim relief shall be provided to the pensioners and family pensioners with effect from 01-01-2016 and the arrears to be paid accordingly.

5. Wherever the benefit of interim relief has already been granted, the Judicial Officers in those States / UTs can exercise their option to continue to be governed by such orders.

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6. The amounts payable by way of interim relief now proposed are liable to be adjusted against the future determination pursuant to the final report submitted by the Commission.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its order dated 27'h March 2018, in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 643 of 2015 directed the respondents that the interim relief regarding the pay of the Judicial Officers as recommended by the Commission be implemented w.e.f. 1st of May, 2018 and the arrears payable pursuant to the above mentioned recommendations shall be paid on or before 30th June, 2018.

4. The Registrar (Administration), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad has requested the Government to issue necessary orders sanctioning I.R. @ 30% of pay to all categories of Judicial Officers, Pensioners and Family Pensioners in the State of Andhra Pradesh w.e.f. 01-01-2016, in view of the Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in W.P. (C) No.643/2015, dt.27-03-2018.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter, decided to implement the recommendations of the Second National Judicial Pay Commission on interim relief (Pay) to the Judicial Officers in the State w.e.f. 01-01-2016 and it shall be paid along with salary of the Judicial Officers for the month of May, 2018 onwards and the arrears payable pursuant to the above mentioned recommendations shall be paid on or before 30th June, 2018.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (HR.V) Department vide their U.O. No. 34021/59/HR.V/2018, dated 28.05.2018.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Registrar General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad. (w.e)
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Vijayawada. (w.e)
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh. (w.e)
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam, A.P.

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The Prl. Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Hyderabad.
The PS to Secretary to Government, Legal & Legislative Affairs & Justice,
Law Department.
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